BEFORE THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF: DONALD A. SIMMONS, D.D.S.

<u>ORDER</u>

On this day comes for hearing the matter of **Donald A. Simmons**, **D.D.S.** The Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners appeared together by a quorum of its membership, together with its attorney, William H. Trice, III; and **Donald A. Simmons**, **D.D.S.** appeared *pro se*. From the pleadings and agreement of the parties, the Board finds that:

- 1. This Board, on the 6th of December, 1996, found Donald A. Simmons, D.D.S. in violation of the Dental Practice Act, more specifically, A.C.A. § 17-82-316(c), that is he permitted a dental hygienist under his supervision to perform acts and services which were prohibited by the Dental Practice Act. As a result of said violation, the Board imposed a sanction of \$100 fine.
- 2. Pursuant to A.C.A. § 25-15-208(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act permitting the Board to resolve any matter by Consent Order, the following is an agreement between the Board and Donald A. Simmons, D.D.S.:
 - a. The Board's finding on the 6th day of December, 1996 of a violation of the Dental Practice Act, as stated hereinabove, is removed and expunged from the record.
 - b. The \$100 fine paid by **Donald A. Simmons**, **D.D.S.** will remain with the Board to cover administrative costs of this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, it is CONSIDERED, ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the agreement of the parties stated hereinabove is adopted by the Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners as its Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

R. LESTER-BARRETT, D.D.S., President

DATE: 8-29-1921

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WILDIAM H. TRICE, III
Attorney for the Arkansas State

Board of Dental Examiners

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